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REPLY TO
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MCHO-CL-C (40)

13 March 2001

MEMORANDUM FOR SEE DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: U.S. Army Medical Command Policy on Basic Life Support (BLS) or Higher Level Training Courses

1. As of 1 October 1999, all health care providers must have current BLS training and certification. Current Advance Cardiac Life Support or other advanced certification does not supersede BLS completion.
2. This memorandum supersedes memorandum, HQ MEDCOM, MCHO-CL-C, 5 May 1999, subject as above.
3. Our point of contact is the Primary Care Staff Officer, Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff for Health Policy and Services, DSN 471-6616 or Commercial (210) 221-6616.

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